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The Best

As Usual.

Men's Suits.

The best made, the best fitting, and for less money than you will find elsewhere. All the latest styles. Don't fail to see them. Excellent values at $5.00, $7.50, $10.00, $12.00, $15.00.

Men's Overcoats.

Equal in make and fit to Merchant Tailoring, the only difference being the price. We show extra good coats at $5, $6, $8, $10, $12, $15, $18.

Children's Department.

In our Boys' Department we are showing the most attractive styles ever shown by us. Beautiful designs in

Vestee Suits, Reefer Suits

Reefer Coats, Cape Overcoats in prices ranging from $1.00 up to $6.00.

HEER BROS.

Following our usual custom we will on CHRISTMAS MORNING present to our customers

IN $200 GOLD

Our plan is this. We have placed in our show window a sign made of pins, reading

"Guess How Many Pins."

First and nearest guess we will give	$100.00
Second and nearest guess we will give	50 00
Third and nearest guess we will give	20.00
Fourth and nearest guess we will give	15 00
Fifth and nearest guess we will give	10.00
Sixth and nearest guess we will give	5.00

A guess free with every purchase. Pins to be counted Christmas morning by prominent business men and nobody connected with our establishment permitted to make a guess.

Men's Gloves.

Good Working Gloves at 25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00.
Fine Kid Gloves lined and unlined at 75c, $1, $1.25, $1.50.

Neckwear.

Latest styles "Waterhouse" make which means the best Tecks, Shields, Chantillys, etc., 25c, 50c and 75c.

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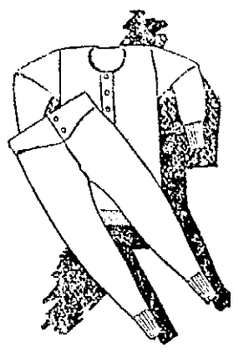

Underwear.

We show you the largest and best stock of underwear in the city. You must see goods and prices to appreciate the values, which range at 18c, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50.

Hats and Caps.

It is a well known fact that we sell the best hats in the city, largest variety and lowest prices. The best $3.00 hat is the "Youngs," for which we are sole agents. Latest styles and best qualities at $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00.

Men's Pants.

Good Cassimere Pants at $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00, $4.00 and $5.00.
Good Jeans Pants, never rip, best to be had at 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.65.

HEER BROS.

Get in the Band Wagon.

The Wise People Profit by Experience of Their Neighbors.

Hundreds of people are coming to our store. They all leave with bundles. The reason is potent. High values and low prices reign supreme. Don't be blind, but "Get in the Band Wagon," and experience that satisfied feeling one enjoys when he knows he's in "the push."

The time has come when it is more economical to buy than not to.

In olden times fires were extinguished by forming lines, organized into bucket brigades, PASSING IT ALONG. In these later days our customers have adopted a similar course. They are passing the news of the great values at these

Our Winding Up the Year's Sale Prices.

Ladies' Heavy Shoes, full stock, Calf Lace, sizes 3 to 5 ..... $ 69
Ladies' Oil Grain Shoes, Lace or Button, worth $1.50 for 99
Ladies' Calf Shoes, Lace or Button, worth $1.50, our price 99
Ladies' Shoes of Calf Skin and make so that they never rip for ... 99
Ladies' Shoes, in Calf, Kangaroo Calf, and Porpoise Calf, worth $1.75, $2.00, $2.25, $2.50, $3.00, our price $1.19, $1.24, $1.39 1 49
Ladies' Button Shoes, Patent Leather Tips, worth $1.60 for 99
Ladies' Box Calf Shoes, made by Sachs Shoe Co., worth $3.00 ..... 1 74
200 Pairs of Heavy Dongola Shoes worth $2.50, our price 1 49
210 Pairs of Goodyear Welt Shoes, worth $3.00 our price 1 75
160 Pairs of Fine Dongola Kid Shoes, worth $3.00, for 1 69
Ladies' Shoes worth $3.25, $3.50, $3.75, $4.00, $4.50 for $1.99, $2.24, $2.49.
400 Pairs of School Shoes made in Portsmouth and every pair guaranteed to be first-class, or we will repair them for you free of charge, our price is, sizes 9 to 12 for 89c. and size 13 to 2 for 99c. They are fully worth from $1.25 to $1.50.

300 Pairs of Mandel School Shoes from 99c. to $1.69. They are the best School Shoes on earth.
Boys' Heavy Shoes, sizes 3 to 5, worth $1.25, our price 89
Boys' Heavy Shoes in Lace, made of Oil Grain, worth $1.50 99

Boys' Heavy Shoes, sizes 3 to 5, the best kind, worth $1.75 ..... 1 19
Men's Heavy Shoes with buckles, worth $1.50 for 99
Men's Shoes in Congress or Lace suitable for winter only 1 24
All of our Men's Heavy Shoes in Lace and Congress, worth $1.50, $1.75, $2.00, $2.25, $2.50, for this sale $1.24, $1.39, $1.45, 1 49
Men's Fine Shoes, Congress or Lace, worth $1.50 our price 1 19
Men's Fine Shoes in Lace and Congress, worth $1.75 our price ... 1 24
Men's Fine Calf Shoes, Congress or Lace, Hub Gore worth $2 ... 1 39
Men's Fine Calf Shoes, made of Kangaroo Calf worth $2.25 ..... 1 49
Men's Fine Calf Shoes in all style toes, worth $2.50 for 1 69
Men's Fine Calf Shoes, Congress or Lace worth $3.00 for 1 99
All of our Matchless Calf Shoes, worth $3.00 for 1 9
Our Patrol Shoes worth $2.50, our price now 1 69
Our Porpoise Calf Shoes worth $3.00, now for 1 99
Our Gold Coin Shoes worth $2.50 for 1 39
Our Famous Calf Shoes worth $2.50 now for 1 39
200 Pairs of Goodyear Welt Shoes worth $3.00 now 1 99
All of $3.75, $4.00, $4.25, $4.50, $4.75 and $5.00 Shoes for $2.24, $2.49, $2.99 and $3.49.
Ladies' Rubbers ..... from 18c to 39c
Misses' Rubbers ..... from 15c to 29c
Gentlemen's Rubbers ..... from 35c to 64c

Theories don't build up bank accounts—low prices do. The saving power of CASH is not a theory; it's an established fact that can be figured out in dollars and cents. Without more words we will ask you to do your own figuring from these very unusual values. If you will do your part and come to buy, we will do our part by making your dollars do double duty.

The Sample Shoe Company,

Originators of Low Prices on Reliable Footwear. 517 Chillicothe Street, Opposite Postoffice.

A WOMAN

And Two Men Arrested for the Murder of Lazarus Vinson

Who Was Found Dead Under a Bridge at Catlettsburg Two Years Ago.

Ten Million Dollar Fire in London—Hanging at Paducah, Ky.—The Coshocton Miners Strike—President Gompers Calls on President McKinley—Chinook Winds.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Huntington, W. Va., Nov. 19.—Mary Jarrel was arrested today for the murder and robbery of Lazarus Vinson at Catlettsburg two years ago. The woman is well connected. Vinson's body was found under a railroad bridge. His skull was crushed. It was thought he had jumped from the bridge with suicidal intent.

A special from Catlettsburg, Ky., says Thos. Maten and David Justice, of that place, have also been arrested, charged with the murder of Vinson.

KENTUCKY HANGING.

Geo. Winston Swings at Paducah for the Murder of His Paramour.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Padcah, Ky., Nov. 19.—Geo. Winston was hanged here this morning for the murder of his paramour, Vinie Bell. The execution was private, many applications for tickets being refused.

LONDON FIRE.

Fifteen Warehouses and Many Other Buildings Destroyed by Worst Fire in Many Years.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

London, Nov. 19.—The most serious fire in recent years is in progress in the streets adjacent to the postoffice.

Later—The area of the fire is a thousand square yards. Sixty warehouses have been destroyed. The fire has extended from Wood street square to Aldersgate street. The loss is estimated at ten million dollars.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

He Will Have Something to Say in the Interest of Laboring Men.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 19.—President Gompers, of the Federation of Labor, called on the President today to ask him to make a recommendation in his message in the interest of laboring men. The President said the message would be very long, but he hoped at some future time—perhaps in a special message—to call attention to the subject. Gompers wants immigration reduced.

Chinook Winds.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Tacoma, Nov. 19.—Chinook winds and rains are playing havoc throughout western Washington. Telegraphic service and railroads are suffering from swollen streams.

Miners Strike at Coshocton.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Coshocton, Nov. 19.—All the miners in this county have stopped work on account of a disagreementt on wages to be paid the day men and on price of yardage.

Oxford Student Died Suddenly.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Oxford, O, Nov. 19.—Miss Grace Stroh, of Lima, Ohio, student at the Oxford Female college, died suddenly today.

Inspect our large line of men's boys' and children's suits, in double and single breasted, at L. Wise's Sons, Second street.

Toys, dolls, doll heads, tables, black-boards and desks cheap at Schloss & Co.'s. 19-3t

If you want pure, sweet crab cider for mince meat, call at Haubert & Geiger's, 115 West Front street.

For toys, books and all kinds of novelties, see E. L. Gates & Co.

CANADA COMING TO TIME.

Will Send Commission to Washington to Consult Relative to Sealing Question.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 19.—Dispatches from Ottowa state that the Canadian cabinet has decided to send a commission to Washington to confer with the one appointed by this government on all questions between Canada and the United States. This leads to the supposition that Canada has agreed to our proposition to stop all sealing for the next year.

Markets.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 19.—Wheat, 95; corn, 26⅜; oats, 21⅜.
Toledo.—Wheat, 93⅜.

WHAT OTHERS SAY OF US.

Scraps From the Maysville Bulletin's Account of the Game There Wednesday

The Maysville Bulletin says that Captain Newman's football team outclassed their team in Wednesday's game, and that owing to the absence of three of the regular team they were overwhelmingly defeated. It says further that the Portsmouth team are all gentlemanly fellows and all strapping big athletes. They claim a better attendance than is accorded to our team at home, but not quite enough attending to make the game a financial success. "It will likely prove the last game of the season at the local park," says the Bulletin, in conclusion.

OBITUARY.

A two-months-old child of Fannie Warn, colored, of 100 East Twelfth street, died yesterday of spasms. The remains were buried this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

GORDON.

Pope Gordon died at his home in Rush township this morning after a short illness. He was 58 years of age and was born in Morgan county, O. Oct. 27th, 1861, he enlisted, re-enlisted Dec. 10, 1863, and was discharged July 10, 1865. He was sergeant of Co. G, 68th O. V. I. He will be buried Sunday, Nov. 21st, in Lauman's cemetery.

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J. L. PATTERSON, Editor and Manager.

It is said New Orleans has lost $25,000,000 by the yellow fever scare and consequent quarantine.

It is rotten and corrupt from center to circumference, from top to bottom, and some day the mills of the gods will grind the grist and there will be weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth among the gangsters.—Tribune.

"It," no doubt, means the court house. Valjean is right. He ought to take back all he has ever said of the editor of the Times. If Valjean will do mete for forgivenes, if he now turns around and drives out of the Republican party the gang he did so much in establishing, he should be forgiven. He of all men is in possession of the facts.

The books in the county clerk's office show that $1,500 in fees have been collected and never disbursed. A little investigation into the affairs of the court house would not be out of place. —Tribune.

The Times called attention to this fact long ago. There are two more such shortages in the court house. Harry Bannon says so, but Harry is not a reliable witness. Harry has privately said the court house is rotten, and Lou Tatman confided the same statement to his brother. We refer Valjean to these gentlemen for facts such as are not now in his possession. Valjean, no doubt, personally knows of more rottenness in Scioto county than any other man in it. Let him turn state's evidence and send them all up.

The expected deficit of a hundred millions of dollars under the Dingley tariff for the current fiscal year is worrying the Republicans who are gathering at Washington for the opening of congress two weeks away. Another campaign of tariff tinkering is set down as likely. What makes matters worse, unusually heavy raids are expected on the treasury at the coming session for all sorts of schemes that were side-tracked at the last two sessions. How convenient that income tax would be just now! The deficit is increasing at the rate of about $10,000,000 a month. In a little more than four months it is over $44,000,000. With congress, Hanna, and a growing deficit on his hands, McKinley is to be pitied.

That young Helt, in violation of the law, shot down the colored man, Austin, like he would a dog, there is not the least doubt. There was no contryman entering the door, and the prosecutor failed to even protest against a delay that means the release of Helt. Talk about Southern outrages! Here was an inoffensive colored man shot down, yet a number of the gang get together and release the man who did it on a bond of $800. There is every reason to believe this will be the end of the matter. Helt should have been promptly punished for the crime, and he would be, were it not that he has a pull with the gang. We have said that virtue, liberty, and even life, counts for little with the gang. We would like some one to point out even a rivulet, let alone a "steady current of justice," in Scioto county. Hard will no doubt say that Austin was only a "Bucktown nigger," anyway.

There is a curious similarity between the action of President Cleveland and President McKinley on the Cuban question. It is said that the President will not transmit to congress the full text of the Cuban correspondence with Spain, and that his great aim will be to stave off action of any kind by congress until it is definitely known whether Spain's new plans will succeed or fail. Speaker Reed will be a good staver-off in the House, but the senate has no muzzel or muzzler. There is danger that the Republican jingoists, who have been expecting so much from McKinley will raise a noise in the House which the speaker may not be able to suppress even with club law, administered at the point of his gavel. Spain is also in a waiting attitude. A Madrid cable says that PremierSagasta will not dissolve parliament until he hears from President McKinley through his message and gets an answer to his note on filibustering expeditions fitted out from the United States. It is not considered advisable that Spain should be without a parliament should there be serious complications with the United States. —Pittsburg Post.

This is the age of iron and electricity. Our passenger cars are destined to be made of steel, and electricity will furnish the power to make them fly across space. The Pittsburg Post says of the new street cars:

"As predicted in The Post several months ago, the pressed steel car is to be a stayer, and its superiority over the wooden car has been so clearly demonstrated that many big roads are now negotiating with the Schoen Car company for new cars. The Pennsylvania and the Central railroad of New Jersey, the Pittsburg & Lake Erie and the Pennsylvania lines will order cars of this type. It is understood that the Pennsylvania has asked for bids on cars of 110,000 pounds capacity, and the Lake Erie will have cars of from 80,000 to 90,000 pounds capacity. From present indications it is safe to say that the Schoen works and the Fox Pressed Steel Truck comany will be crowded with work from now on, and that over half of the new cars which the coal and ore roads will order will be built in Pittsburg.

"The Post was the first paper in the United States to call attention to the advantage of the steel car over the old style wooden car, and compare the capacity and dead weight of both and give figures regarding the increase in the train load that would result from the introduction of the new cars. Following in this line of argument, the Railway Age gives additional facts and figures which are corroborative of the statements made in The Post several weeks in advance."

M'CORMICK'S BILL.

Full Explanation of Our Representative's Views on the Salary Question.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

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What to Do.

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in relieving pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passages. It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to get up many times during the night to urinate. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists, price fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet both sent free by mail. Mention The Portsmouth Daily Times and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

Dyspepsia, Heartburn, Gastritis and all Stomach Disorder's positively cured. Grover Graham's Dyspepsia Remedy is a specific. One dose removes all distress, and a permanent cure of the most chronic and severe cases is guaranteed. Do not suffer! A 50 cent bottle will convince the most skeptical.

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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25 cents.

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Will be given to the one who guesses the nearest to the number of words which will appear in the FIRST NEWS COLUMN on the First Page of the Cincinnati Enquirer of Dec. 31, 1897. Guesses must be all in by 6 p. m. Sun Time, Dec. 30, 1897. Everyone making a purchase entitled to a guess. (For Dry Goods Store only.)

THE SECOND WHEEL

Will be given, not to the best guesser, but the best worker. We give to any customer who desires them, cards containing figures to the amount of $100.00. The conditions of gift are simply this. We will give to the one presenting one of the cards, between the hours of 7 a. m., and 6 p. m., Dec. 31, 1897, having the Greatest Amount Punched Out, one of these high grade bicycles. Every purchase you make get the amount punched out on your card, get your friends and neighbors to bring your card with them and get credit for their purchases for you, thus swelling the total amount. Remember any one can bring your card and get credit for their purchases for you. A little stirring around will put one of these fine wheels in your reach. Is it not worth the trial? (For Dry Goods Store only.)

THE THIRD WHEEL.

In our show window in the shoe store we have framed two pages of a newspaper published in 1800, shortly after the death of George Washington. The one guessing the nearest to the number of words on these two pages will receive the wheel. Every purchase entitles you to a guess. Guess must all be in by 6 p. m. sun time, Dec. 31, 1897. (For Shoe Store only.)

Those employed in our establi ment not allowed to guess.

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From the Peninsular Stove Co., Detroit, Mich.

To F. A. Glockner, Portsmouth, O.

Dear Sir.—Your order of the 12th for stoves given to our Mr. Daugherty is received and will have our careful attention, although we will be unable to ship for a few days for the reason that we are having a very heavy trade on everything we are making, and although we are running our works overtime, we are not able to commence to fill our orders. We trust that you will not be inconvenienced in waiting.

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PENINSULAR STOVE CO.

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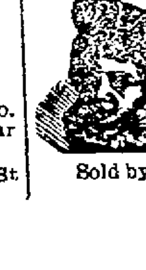

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GREEN AND WHITE

The Dominant Colors in the Cadot-Meade Wedding.

A Pretty Wedding Tuesday Afternoon at Monumental Church Richmond, Va.

When Mr. Clarence Percival Cadot, a Popular Portsmouth Boy Was United in Marriage to Miss Louise Fontaine Meade, a Leading Richmond Society Lady—A Brilliant Social Event.

The following account of the wedding of Mr. Clarence Cadot, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. H. Cadot, of West Sixth street, and a popular Portsmouth boy, is taken from the Richmond Dispatch of Wednesday morning, November 17th:

"Mr. Clarence Percival Cadot and Miss Louise Fontaine Meade were married yesterday afternoon at Monumental church by the Rev. Mr. Barr.

"Palms, ferns, white draperies and candles decorated the chancel of the church; two tall palms were arranged on either side of the altar steps, with banks of palms below, and festoons of ferns and smilax defining the side aisles. Back of the altar was all aglitter with the light from a series of candles. While the guests were assembling Mr. Philip S. Powers, at the organ, played very softly the Ave Maria from Cavalleria Rusticana, while the approach of the bridal party was announced by the jubilant notes of the wedding march.

"The ushers who led the way for the bridesmaids were Messrs. Lewis Brander, Julian Binford, W. S. P. Mayo, George Reed, Llewellyn McVeigh and H. Buckner Wall. The lovely young bridesmaids followed—Miss Louise Dabney with Miss Katherine Fontaine, Miss Lou Belle Jones with Miss Mary Meade, and Miss Lidie with Miss Marianne Meade. The bride came directly after, attended by her maid of honor, Miss Katherine Fontaine Meade. At the words, "Who gives this woman away?" Mr. Richard Meade stepped up. The bridal party retired to the music of Mendelssohn's wedding march.

"The bride's costume was of ivory satin, with low corsage, and trimmings of lace, with enveloping, long tulle veil. The bridal bouquet was of lilies of the valley.

"The bridesmaids wore beautiful gowns of white moire with frillings of mousseline de soie over the shoulder straps of apple-green velvet across the front and bows of the velvet, with full sashes of chiffon. Each bridesmaid carried a bouquet of large, white Philadelphia cyrsanthemums tied by broad, apple-green ribbons.

"The maid of honor wore a becoming gown of green silk and chiffon and carried a bunch of violets.

"The groomsmen were Messrs. Fontaine Brein, Victor Williams, William Walker and James W. Gordon. Mr. Jackson Miller acted as best man.

"After the wedding ceremony a reception was held at the home of Mrs. Kate Fontaine Meade, the mother of the bride. The house was simply and beautifully decorated for the occasion with palms, festoons of smilax and groups of chrysanthemums. The brilliant company present added fresh distinction to the already important occasion.

"The wedding of Miss Meade and Mr. Cadot is one of the most noteworthy of the winter, owing to the prominence of the families of both bride and groom.

"The bride is of a beautiful brunette type, and has won a wide reputation for her beautiful voice. Mr. Cadot, who came to the city from Portsmouth, O., has since become a prominent business man here, and taken a place in the front rank of Richmond society."

The Dispatch also gives a long list of the guests inside the ribbons, including Mr. and Mrs. W. H. H. Cadot of this city. Among the guests were the elite of Richmond society, some of the names being familiar ones to newspaper readers as prominent social leaders of the Southern metropolis.

A NOBLE CONVERT

Mr. R. A. Bryan Succeeds in Converting Captain Ed Wilson to the Cause of a Ship Canal.

Mr. R. A. Bryan went to Ironton this morning to make a final settlement with the city for the contract which he and Mr. Samuel Monroe had to build a sewer. The work was completed a few days ago and was satisfactory to the city and accepted. Mr. Bryan will be gone a couple of days.

During his sojourn in Ironton this summer Mr. Bryan succeeded in converting Capt. Ed. Wilson, of the Register, to the cause of a ship canal from the lake to the Ohio. Wilson had always ridiculed the idea, but Mr. Bryan succeeded in making him see the error of his way. When the project comes up again it will have no more valiant champion than Capt. Wilson.

BLANKEMEYER, THE TAILOR, wants to see you right away quick.

In the Detective Business.

Mr. H. J. Wendelken who was at Camp Arion yesterday planting some trees at his cottage, reports everything in good shape at that resort. The campers there have pasted a notice offering a reward of $50—for the apprehension of any person who meddles with any property about the camp. Several residents of the vicinity have gone into the detective business since the notice was posted and are busily watching the camp to catch marauders.

Ladies' flannel skirts, 50 cents, 65 cents and 75 cents, at Flora Dellert's.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

Manager Grimes has sent out circular letters personally guaranteeing the performance of Willie Collier, in "The Man From Mexico," to be strictly high class comedy. Opera house patrons are assured that "The Man From Mexico" is one of the best attractions on the road and will be among the best to be seen here this season. Mr. Collier will be supported by Louise Allen, as leading lady. She will be remembered for her clever work in "Little Christopher," "Miss Philadelphia," "One of the Boys," etc., etc. The remainder of the company is equally as strong, and all contribute materially to the success of the play. "The Man From Mexico" will be at the opera house tomorrow night.

"Kismett, or Two Tangled Turks," a comedy opera in two acts, with a carload of scenery, beautiful costumes and accessories, a grand array of principals and a chorus of pretty and shapely girls will be the kind of attraction Manager Grimes will present to the patrons of the Grand Monday evening, Nov. 22d. This opera has enjoyed a most successful run at Wallack's theater, New York, and will be seen here complete in every detail and promises to prove the swell event of the season at this theater. Miss Minerva Dorr, the well known prima donna comedienne, is at the head of the company, which is sufficient assurance that the company and production is the very best that could possibly be secured.

The popular Irish comedians, Ferguson and Emerick, in their new Irish comedy, "McNulty's Visit," by the author of "McSorley's Twins," "Finnigan's Ball" and "Finnigan's Courtship," will appear at the Grand opera house next Thursday afternoon and evening. These clever Irish comedians are supported by a strong company of good merit, a host of young and pretty girls, graceful dancers, pleasing vocalists, introducing the latest songs, dances and medleys. There is not a dull moment in this comedy—one continual laughter. Ferguson and Emerick are two of the drollest Irish comedians on the stage, and never was a better opportunity offered them to display their wonderful ability as mirth provokers as in "McNulty's Visit."

"The Prodigal Father" which will be seen at the Grand opera house Wednesday night is said to be one of the funniest farce comedies that has been played in this city in years. The company is composed of exceptionally bright and prepossessing people, every one an artist in his way. The play has just thread enough of a plot to remind one of what was going on after some interpolation had been finished. The brightest, cleanest specialties, catchiest music, richest witticisms and most ridiculous eccentricities go to make up the nightmare of fun bound up in "The Prodigal Father" It would be difficult to individualize, because no one sustains a straight role, but assumes various characters in specialties introduced as well as in the piece.

The Power of a Working Man.

At the people's service next Sunday evening at Sixth Street M. E. church, the Rev. Thos. S. Robjent will preach a special sermon on the topic, "The Power of a Workingman—a sermon founded on a conversation overheard on the streets of Portsmouth." At the morning service he will preach on "Influence and Example—A Straight Talk to Home and Society People."

WHAT IT MEANS.

Portsmouth Is Learning It—Learning It Fast—Proof Not Lacking.

Everybody has it,
That tired feeling
Don't know what it means,
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Destroys daily comfort,
Wearies the body,
Worries the mind.
You should shake it off;
You should be health'ul and strong,
So you can.
If you go at it right,
First learn what it means.
Some say that it is bad blood,
Others say that it's lazy liver.
They're all wrong.
Tired feeing means lame kidneys,
Just as lame back means kidney ache.
How do we know it?
Because Doan's Kidney Pills cures it,
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How can we prove it? Because Portsmouth people say so.
Here is a case in point:
Mr. Harry Distelrath, 207 East Eleventh street, says: "Mine is the same old story—dragging backache from kidney trouble, which worried me for several years. I was never free from it, and at times it was very distressing, right on both sides of the back just above the hips. I knew that the kidneys were not doing their work as they should, as the secretions were very highly colored. Reading about Doan's Kidney Pills induced me to try them and I went to Fisher & Streich's drug store and obtained a box. I seemed to feel the good of them right away. I remarked to my wife at the time that they were the right thing to have. After I used them my back was strong and there was no pain in it. I felt as supple as when I was a boy."
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Guess How Many Nails.

We will give on New Year's morning $200.00 in gold to our customers in appreciation of their patronage. To be given to the first fifteen persons guessing the nearest to the number of Nails in the jar in our window. A guess with every purchase.

$200 IN GOLD.

First and nearest guess	$80 00	Ninth and nearest guess	$5.00
Second and nearest guess	35 00	Tenth and nearest guess	5.00
Third and nearest guess	20.00	Eleventh and nearest guess	5.00
Fourth and nearest guess	10.00	Twelfth and nearest guess	5 00
Fifth and nearest guess	5 00	Thirteenth and nearest guess	5.00
Sixth and nearest guess	5 00	Fourteenth and nearest guess	5.00
Seventh and nearest guess	5 00	Fifthteenth and nearest guess	5 00
Eighth and nearest guess	5.00		

Nails to be counted New Year's morning by prominent men. Nobody connected with our store permitted to make a guess.

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LOT NO. 1.

Silk Plush Cape, heavy silk braided, trimmed with black frogs.
Regular price.....$7.00
Special sale..... 5.98

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Ladies' fine all wool double Cape trimmed in silk braid or fur, full sweep, rolling collar.
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We wish to call special attention to lot No. 3. Ladies' heavy all wool double Cape, trimmed in silk braid, full sweep.
Regular price.....$3.00
Special sale..... 1.98

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Ladies' all wool double Cape.
Regular price..... $2.50
Special sale..... 1.50

Every lady that contemplates buying a cape should call and see these goods.

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TO UNITE

N. & W., B. & O. S-W., and C P. & V. Railroads

May All Occupy the New Depot Now Being Constructed at the Corner of North Waller and Tenth Street, by the O. P. & V. Negotiations Going on Between the Roads and Everything Indicates They Will Be Successful.

It is understood from a reliable source that the O. P. & V., N. & W. and B. & O S-W. have a deal "on" by which the two railroads last named will occupy the new C P. & V. depot now in process of construction.

Negotiations have been quietly carried on between representatives of the railroads mentioned and there is every indication that an agreement will be reached. The N. & W. is particularly favorable to the plan. Allen Hull, the division passenger agent of the N. & W., has made an investigation of the situation here, and is said to have recommended that an agreement be made with the C. P. & V. to occupy part of the new depot. The present passenger office of the N. & W. will be discontinued, but the down town office kept as at present. The B & O. S-W. is hanging out, but will probably join with the other roads, as it would manifestly be to their advantage to do so.

The above plans, if carried out, will give Portsmouth practically what has been wanting—a neat, handsome and accessible union depot. The C. P. & V. has such assurances in the matter that they are building their depot on a more elaborate scale than at first planned. The appropriation for the depot has been increased two thousand dollars and the work of construction will be pushed rapidly. People do not realize that the new depot is going to be a large and handsome structure and will be a great credit to the city. Portsmouth merchants and citizens in general will aid in every way possible in bringing about an agreement by which the three railroads will occupy the same depot.

As stated before, when the new depot is completed and the new road-bed has settled, the C. P. & V. will make a big bid for Cincinnati trade. A fast train, with new and heavy coaches, will be put on, making Cincinnati in three hours. The train will leave here at 5:30 a. m., and returning leave Cincinnati at 6:30 p. m. This train will make it very convenient for Cincinnati passengers and will surely catch the trade. Portsmouth is certainly indebted to the C. P. & V. for its push and enterprise in giving us a beautiful new union depot.

IN EARLY SPRING

Mr. Dan C. Davis and Miss Josie M. Fryharger, of Connersville, Ind., Will Be Married.

The Connersville, Ind., Daily News of recent date has the following that will be of interest here:

"The engagement of Miss Josie M. Frybarger, of this city, to Mr. Dan C. Davis, a prominent young merchant of Portsmouth, Ohio, is announced. The wedding will take place in early spring. Miss Josie is a bonnie lassie—lovable and popular. Mr. Davis is a very popular society gentleman. A bright future for both is hoped for by the many Connersville friends of the bride."

Mr. Davis is secretary of The Tremper Shoe compay and one of the most popular of the younger business men in the city He is a faovrite in social circles and has the best wishes of his many friends for himself and bride-to-be. Miss Frybarger is expected to arrive in Portsmouth in a few days to spend Thanksgiving with friends.

HICKMAN'S TRIAL.

Madison Township Knife User, Has a Hearing Before Judge Milner Today.

Ira Hickman, of Madison township, had his trial before Judge Milner today for cutting with intent to kill. It will be remembered that Hickman was arrested only a few weeks ago, after returning from the West. The cutting happened over a year ago. Hickman, John Rockwell and a number of others were at N. B. Musgrove's drinking cider. There was a quarrel and Roowkell was badly cut. A few weeks ago Rockwell married a sister of Hickman and left for parts unknown. His failure to put in an appearance at the trial today greatly crippled the prosecution.

Take a look at our men's and boys' overcoats and storm coats, also a large line of mackintoshes. We can show you the largest line in the city at L. Wise's Sons, Second street. 19-2t

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Who will ride the wheel that will be given to some one who buys shoes at W. A. Connolley's shoe store? 18-2

Ladies' black fleece-lined hose, 10 cents, or three pairs for 25 cents, at Flora Dellert's.

Fresh eggs at Haubert & Geiger's, No. 115 West Front street, Phone 286.

See the great bargains in E. L. Gates & Co.'s display windows.

You can please yourself in shoes at Lehman's.

Solid oysters 25c at Blake's.

PERSONAL.

Miss Grace Grosvenor is expected to arrive here in a few days to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Phelps Leete.

WEST VIRGINIA NATIVES

Heard of Injunctions and Thought They Would Try and Work Something of the Kind on the Christy Lumber Co.

J. S. Dodge returned last night from De Lorme, W. Va., where he went a few days ago in response to a telegarm that trouble had broken loose again in the Christy lumber camp. When he got there he found that a number of the natives were trying to bring injunction suits against the company to prevent them from getting out any more timber. Mr. Dodge talked them out of it and smoothed matters up again. There are eighteen teams hauling lumber to the mill now, and if nothing happens the job will be finished up within a few weeks and the mill moved over across the river into new territory.

VANCEBURG PEOPLE

Seem to Think Halbert Is Around Close Home—Authorities Investigating.

The latest developments in the Hoobler tragedy are none of special interest or reliability as to correctness. It seems to be the general impression that Henry Halbert, the alleged guilty man, is hiding in Lewis county and in close personal communication with relatives and friends. He may be. He could be with all safety, so far as official investigation is concerned. A warrant is N. G. without service.

No further evidence of Mr. Halbert's guilt has been brought to light other than his protracted absence, regarding which there is no explanation from any source.—Vanceburg Sun.

A HOT TIME

Did Barber's Minstrel's Have at Piketon Last Night.

The Receipts From the Show, Just Paid Hotel Bills and the Company Stranded Then and There—A General Hustle to Get Enough Cash to Get Back Home—The Company Will Quit the Business

"Billy" Barber's colored minstrel show, which made a descent on Piketon yesterday, came to grief in that village last nght.

The boys went up on the morning N. & W. train, twenty strong, securing a rate of forty cents for one way. They paraded about Piketon in the afternoon and yesterday evening showed to a small audience in the town hall. There was just fifteen dollars and eleven cents in the house, and all that went to pay for the hall and the hotel bills of the showmen. Some of the boys were left in bad shape—in a financial way. They did not have enough to pay their fare back, and to complicate matters the N. & W. agent demanded full fare —seventy cents—for the return trip There was a great commotion when this was learned and minstrels were flying around trying to pawn watches, horns, or any old thing, to get enough cash to get back home. One minstrel wanted to pawn a gold watch for $1.40, while another offered his horn to the N. & W. agent as security for a ticket.

Finally, when the train arrived most of the minstrels had secured tickets and boarded her. Ben Austin, Jim Carter and "Cap" Scott tried to ride down on the pilot of the passenger engine, but were caught and put on the train. Austin and Scott got on the sleeper and got down in safety. It is understood that Jim Carter, "Goose" Woods, "Cap." Dearing, Claudie Ross and John Austin got left entirely and had to depend on freights to get home. "Billy" Barber, who managed the show, drove down in a buggy, leaving his company to its fate.

Barber's colored minstrels will take no more barn-storming expeditions.

A Pair of Hunters.

Henry Molster and Mart Mickleth-wait were out tramping softly through the wild woods today, keeping a brisk lookout for any old kind of game. The latest bulletin from the scene of war was to the effect that Mart had aroused the wrath of a Texas steer by flourishing his red bandanna and was in full flight with the steer a close second.

A Royal Bird.

A wild turkey hangs on a hook in front of Blakes butcher shop, It is a royal bird. He was killed up in West Va., caught rather, for he went poking about a steel trap set for 'possum and got his head caught. It was sent to Sam Reed by Will Kinney brother of Mrs. Reed. It weighs seventeen pounds. Mr. Reed will keep it for Thanksgiving dinner.

We can show you a handsome line of overcoats and reefers for boys, to fit boys from three years and upwards, at L. Wise's Sons, 117 West Second street.

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Third	20 00	Eleventh	5 00
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Fifth	5 00	Thirteenth	5 00
Sixth	5 00	Fourteenth	5 00
Seventh	5 00	Fifteenth	5 00
Eighth	5 00		

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Dressed Kid, fleece lined, fur trimmed, at 60c a pair. Dressed Kid at $1 00 pr.

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Men's sizes at 25c and 35c a pair. Women's sizes at 20, 25, 35, 40, 50c pair.

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Replete with specialties unique and catching. Rich with stage settings. Admission 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.00.

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Lot No. 3, all wool ..... 20c yd
Lot No. 4, all wool ..... 25c yd

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Lot No. 1, flannel ..... 15c yd
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Lot No. 3, all wool ..... 20c yd
Lot No. 4, all wool ..... 25c yd

Flannel Skirts, all wool, full width, full length, 50c a piece.

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Lot No. 1, canton 4c
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Lot No. 3, canton 5c
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Lot No. 1, all wool 15c
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BRILLIANT

Was the Concert and Ball Given by the Band Boys Last Night.

The Ball Was a Success Both Financially and Socially—A Fine Crowd in Attendance and a Good Program Was Enjoyed by Them—A Success in Every Way.

The grand concert and dance given by the River City band last night at Kendall's hall was a decided success, both socially and financially. A more brilliant affair has not been seen in Portsmouth this season, and the band boys are to be congratulated on their success.

Owing to the sickness of Director Kah and Will and George Smith, who are both very sick, the boys had a difficult task to make the ball a success, but through perseverance and united effort a fine program was rendered in the usual good style of the band.

About 8 o'clock the music lovers and dancers began to gather in the spacious hall, and by nine nearly five hundred people were present. The crowd was an ideal one and some beautiful costumes were worn by the ladies present.

The floor was in charge of Owen Doley and Gus Giegenbacher, who kept the best of order, and by their efforts all present were well pleased. The band boys are well pleased with the success of the ball, and the money which they made will put them firmly on their feet.

Every citizen in Portsmouth should feel proud of the organization of which we are the possessor. The River City band is undoubtedly the best musical organiztion of its kind among similar organizations of a town twice the size of Portsmouth and the way the people supported them last night shows that they are appreciated here, as well as in other places where they have visited.

The band is composed of the following musicians George Kah, director, Thomas Crooks, Charles Holmes, Charles Brunner, Henry Fairtrace, John Kah, Arthur Bode, Charles Bode, James Beaver, Joseph Sager, Joseph Koerner, Fred Goetz, William Lahmering, Martin Edwards, Litt. Bradford, Frank Hulick, Joseph Dupre, John McDowell, George Hoesch, Will Smith and George Smith.

A DELIGHTFUL TIME

Did the Woman's Literary Club Have at the Home of Mrs. Dedgar F. Draper Yesterday Afternoon.

Members of the Woman's Literary club were entertained at the hospitable home of the president, Mrs. Edgar F. Draper, on West Sixth street, yesterday afternoon, this being the "afternoon at the home of the president," as appointed in the club year book. It was a special meeting for the hearing of the "Facts and Fancies Gathered at the State Convention of Clubs at Piqua by Our Delegates"—the third annual convention of the Ohio Federation of Woman's clubs. The reports of the convention, as presented by the delegates, Mrs. Draper and Mrs. Lorin Hall, were delightful. Each gave clearly and concisely to the club many of the valuable ideas she had gleaned from the excellent papers and reports upon the convention's program. Mrs. Hall also gave her "Two Minute Report" of the Woman's Literary club of Portsmouth, as she had given it at the convention. It was such a report of which any club might well be proud, and as Mrs. Draper reported, several of the ideas p resented in this report proved to be most acceptable suggestions to many of the delegates. They were particularly impressed with the memorial plan of the Portsmouth club, the placing in the Public Library of a valuable reference book to the memory of each departed member, a plan which many sister clubs will now inaugurate. Also during Mrs. Draper's remarks Miss Kate Newman recited a beautiful poem written for this convention by a prominent club woman, Mrs. Alice Brotherton, of Cincinnati.

Following Mrs. Draper's report the club was favored with a delightful vocal selection by Mrs. Wells Hutchins —"Love's Magic."

Following Mrs. Hall's report was another pretty song by Mrs. Hutchins, after which there was a few minutes recreation in the way of a "guessing match." The portraits—newspaper and magazine cuts—of nearly two hundred prominent men and women, from "Moses to McKinley," not even forgetting "Santa Claus" and several of our own citizens, had been numbered and placed upon cards, which were passed to the ladies. Each had been furnished a tablet and pencil and for nearly half an hour the guesses were being made and registered. After the papers had been exchanged and marked it was found that Miss Glady Evans as the fortunate possessor of the "longest memory" for "names and faces" As a reward she was presented with a large bunch of chrysanthemums, rare and beautiful in variety, which had adorned the table near which the speakers of the afternoon had stood.

Before adjourning a rising vote of thanks was given to Mrs. Draper for the very enjoyable afternoon at her pleasant home.

Leased the Horr Block.

It is understood that the directors of the Y. M. I. closed the deal yesterday by which the association leases the second and third floors of the Horr block on Gallia street.

The second term at the Normal begins on the 23d inst.

You can always find the very latest in suitings and overcoatings at Burt, Pride & Hall's.

FRAGMENTS.

Geo. Kah is out again after a severe illness of several days.

"Shump" Staiger is confined to the house with a bad case of chills.

Modern Woodmen meet in regular session this evening at K. P. hall.

Residents of the city will be invited to plant trees in York park in the spring.

Don Gilgen came in on the N. & W. this morning with a big string of quail and six rabbits.

Mr. O. H. Smith is confined to his home, corner Fourth and Gay street by a sudden illness.

N. & W. passenger coaches running in Ohio have been equipped with Babcock fire extinguishers.

An affadavit of lunacy has been filed against Mrs. Jas Jameson, of Brush creek. She is violent.

James Donahoe, of the Standard shoe factory has accepted a position as collector for J. M. Stockham.

Mrs. Henry Burke, of East Ninth street, is seriously ill. She was taken with a relapse Thursday.

H. S. Grimes & Co., received a car load of California can fruits direct from the the Fontana Fruit Co., today.

Terry Davenport and Dolph Glockner are at Mt. Joy hunting. They killed seventy-eight birds in two days.

Mr. and Mrs. August Maier will celebrate their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary next Wednesday evening.

Jacob Linck takes charge of the "Acme" saloon tomorrow at noon, having closed the deal witn Eddie Burns.

A fine litter of Italian greyhound pups belonging to Tom Burt will be on exhibition in Seebohm's window tomorrow.

Engines 16 and 166 were received at the N. & W. shops today for repairs. It don't look much like the shops had moved away.

Mrs. Clarence Wright is lying seriously sick at the residence of her mother, Mrs. Geo. Freshel. She has neuralgia of the brain.

The Gibbons Literary and Social society will hold their meeting Monday evening, instead of Thursday evening, as previously announced.

Adam Giesler was in Cincinnati this week purchasing new outfit for his new building. He will remove into his new quarters next week.

A set of handsome chairs for the pulpit and choir of the new Friendship M. E. church ware sent down to the church by Fuller Bros. today.

Luther Griffin, who has been working at New London laying gas mains returned home Thursday with a badly bruised hand hurt in explosion of gas.

A new platform is being built between the B. & O. S-W. and N. & W. tracks at the junction depot, in place of the one destroyed by a B. & O. S-W. train a few days ago.

Foreman Cullinan, of the N. & W. shops, sprained his right ankle badly yesterday in jumping from an engine cab. He was able to get about today with the aid of a cane.

Mr. Myers, of Columbus, representing "Spirits and Wine," the Ohio Liquor League organ, has been in the city several days. He was deputy revenue collector during the Marcus Boggs regime.

The body of poor Ben Myers, the N. & W. engineer, who was killled on the Kenova division yesterday was taken to Chillicothe on a special car attached to the N. & W. passenger this morning, at 10:28.

Sheet music at one-half price, at E. L. Gates & Co.'s.

New classes organized at the Normal next Tuesday. 19-2t

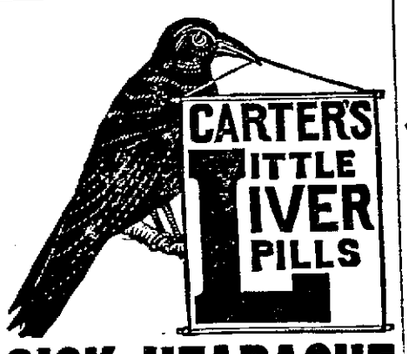
Take a look at the big line of holiday goods at Schloss & Co.'s store.

Tomorrow will be Saturday; next day will be Sunday. Order a can of "Sugar Loaf" or "Superior" brands of canned goods for your dinner.

Solid oysters 25c at Blake's.

He Got Them.

Geo. Schmitt, of the Central grocey has just returned from Cincinnati where he brought an immense lot of Thanksgiving dainties. Of course this is nothing new for the Central, but it is worthy of mention nevertheless.



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Children's Underwear.

Grey ribbed, heavy fleeced cotton, size 16, 5c. All sizes 17 to 34, prices according to size, Pants, Vests and Drawers.

Boys' heavy fleeced, mixed, Jersey ribbed Shirts and Drawers, can't be beat, 25c.

Boys' and Misses' wool fleeced at ridiculously low prices.

Grey mixed ribbed Union Suits for Misses, 23c.

Also all sizes in Boys' and Misses Shirts, Drawers and Pants in half wool and all wool.

Ladies' fleeeced ribbed vests, nothing like it in the city less than 12½c, 10c.

Heavy fleeced, ribbed vests and pants 23c.

Heavy fleeced grey and ecru ribbed vests and pants, sizes 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9, 25c.

Heavy fleeced grey ribbed, half wool vests and pants, worth 50c for 35c.

Scarlet Medicated, (soft, all wool) the regular $1 00 kind, 75c.

Men's extra heavy grey mottled and white shirts and drawers 23c.

Men's heavy Camel's hair shirts and drawers, 39c

Men's wool fleece grey knit shirts and drawers 75c a suit.

Extra heavy wool fleeced shirts and drawers former price, 85c, now 50c.

Ohildren's Black hose, seamless fleeced, 10c pr.

Infant's all wool black cashmere, 9c pair.

Children's and Misses all wool black cashmere, 15c a pair.

Ladies' cotton hose, 5c, 6c, 8c, 9c, 10c, upwards.

Ladies' black fleece lined seamless 10c.

Extra quality black cashmere 15c.

Have large line of out-sizes in hosiery.

Elegant line of high grade hosiery.

Men's cotton socks, seamless, 4c.

Men's cotton knit socks 5c.

Nice line 5c and upwards.

All wool blue mixed knit, 2 for 25c, has no equal.

Natural wool 2 for 25c.

All grades Camel's hair and Cashmere socks.

Children's and Misses' black worsted mitts, all sizes, 10c.

Extra heavy double worsted mitts 15c.

Ladies' wool mitts, 10c to 25c.

Ladies' double silk mitts, handsomely stitched 50c

Ladies' Cashmere gloves 15c, 20c, 25c.

Ladies' Tafleta silk, fleece lined gloves, 49c.

Ladies' extra quality cashmere, silk lined, 49c.

Our $1.00 glove is the best value in the city. We warrant all our kid gloves.

Men's black cashmere gloves 20c.

Men's heavy knit mitts, wris let top, not like them elsewhere less than 35c, for 25c.

Elegant fur gauntlet mitt or glove, horsehide palm, never sold less than $1.00, 50c.

Genuine Buckskin gloves, regular $1grade, 50c.

Heavy lined goat skin glove, wool wristlet 25c.

Extra heavy unlined calf glove 29c.

Better grades at 50c.

Men's workiug shirts 19c and upwards.

Special, extra heavy flannel 43c.

Elegant line of Men's Dress Shirts, Collars, Cuffs and Neckwear.

Headquarters for Bargains in Comforts, Blankets, Canton Flannel, Flannels, Cotton Batts, Wool Knit Shirts, Ready Made Shirts, etc.

See specials in our windows.

Low Prices always prevail here and everything positively as represented.

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Lower Than Ever Before.

Scotch Peas, per lb	3c	A. J. Pancake Flour	10c
Split Peas, per lb	5c	Self R. Buckwheat	9c
Barley, per lb	5c	Con. Mince Meat	8c
Navy Beans, per qt	5c	2 lb. Can Mince Meat	9c
Marrow Beans, per qt	5c	Oyster Crakers, per lb	5c
Wax Beans, per qt	5c	Butter Crackers, per lb	5c
Hominy, 2 lb. for	5c	Lunch Milk Crackers, per lb	6c
Best Prunes, 2 lb. for	15c	Lemon Crackers, per lb	7c
Baking Soda, 2 lb. for	5c	Homemade Kraut, per qt	5c

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That is a foregone conclusion. She knows just what becomes each customer, both as to shape and combination of color.

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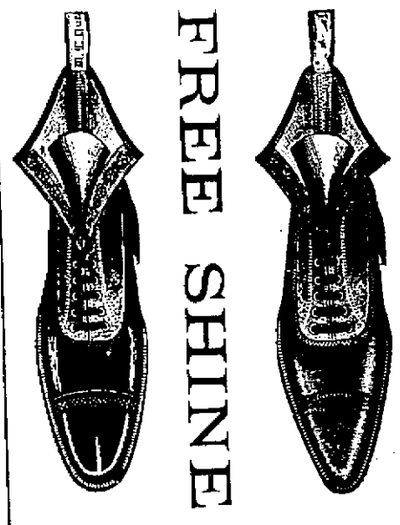

In Tans and Blacks these two shoes are the proper thing for winter wear.

To attract, win and retain customers is our long suit. By liberal dealings, by satisfying every reasonable request, by meeting your every shoe want, by courteous attention we strive to make our business relationship a pleasure. This, combined with the distinctive excellence of our shoes and the fact that we offer more for the money than others care to, is the secret of our unparalleled success. Yours to please,

Chas. Winter.

Bargain House.

FOR SALE—Cottage residence on Second street below Chillicothe adjoining Geo. O. Newman one of the most desirable locations of the city. Inquire of Jas. W. Newman, Central Savings Bank. tf

TOUCHED HIM OFF

Albert Frantz, Dayton Murderer, Electrocuted.

THE ROOM FILLED WITH SMOKE.

Spasmodic Convulsions Indicated That Death Was Not Instantaneous—Missing Girl Found In a Horrible Condition. Demented Man Conceived the Idea of Murdering His Family and Suiciding.

Columbus, O., Nov. 19.—Albert J. Frantz was electrocuted in the penitentiary annex at 12:17 a. m. for the murder of Bessie Little of Dayton.

Frantz took the death chair in a composed manner, but with a palid face.

When Warden Coffin turned on the current there was a sizzling sound, and a puff of smoke, which nearly filled the room, arose from the top of the criminal's head.

A second current was turned on, and there was another sizzle and puff of smoke. Then the doctors felt Frantz's pulse, and, although they pronounced him unconscious and incapable of feeling, it was believed the first contact had not produced instantaneous death.

The strap holding the electrode on the top of his head was then bound tighter by the guards and the current turned on again at three different intervals in quick succession.

The latter contacts were devoid of the sizzling sound and smoke. It was about four minutes from the time of the first contact until the physicians removed the black cap and pronounced Frantz dead. At each contact there were spasmodic convulsions of the body.

Frantz was born at Dayton, O., of well-to-do parents, his father being a Dunkard. He was a gay young man, and he met Bessie Little, a beautiful and voluptuous young lady, whom he ruined under promise of marriage.

While riding with her on the night of Aug. 27, 1896, he shot her in the head twice and threw her body into the Miami river, where it was found six days later.

EVIDENCE OF CRIME.

Missing Young Lady Found In a Most Horrible Condition.

Crosstown, O., Nov. 19.—Miss Eunice Edgington, the young school teacher who started on horseback a week ago to visit her sister near Dodman's and mysteriously disappeared, was found near the home of a brother, raving with brain fever, her gold watch gone and her clothing almost torn from her body.

From her delirious ravings and from circumstantial evidence it is believed the young lady was captured, outraged and held a captive by some villain who finally escaped on the horse, which is missing.

The young lady is yet unable to give a lucid account of her experience, but excitement is at fever heat and steps have been taken to apprehend her supposed assailant, or assailants, who will be promptly lynched if caught.

HE WAS IN DEBT.

For That Reason Joe Firestone Conceived a Wholesale Murder.

Ottawa, O., Nov. 19.—John Firestone, who killed his daughter two miles east of Leipsic on Nov. 15, has regained his reason, and tells his family physician that it was his intention to kill his entire family and himself, and had the opportunity presented the horrible tragedy would have been greatly aggravated.

He told his family that it had been revealed to him that he would be unable to discharge his debts and that he would be compelled to sell his farm. Rather than see them in distress he had determined to put them out of the world.

The Potters Adjourn.

East Liverpool, O., Nov. 19.—The Manufacturing Potters' association of America has adjourned. A call will be issued for a meeting of the United States Potters' association. The attitude of importers under the increased tariff is yet an unknown factor. Manufacturers claim the advance will be barely sufficient to cover the restoration to the men of the 12½ per cent wage cut of three years ago. One of the fruits of the conference will be an ironclad compact of all white granite manufacturers in America on prices.

Threw Down Their Picks.

Coshocton, O., Nov. 19.—All the miners in Coshocton county went out on a strike as a result of a disagreement on the wages to be paid to the day men and on price of hardage.

Two Things Produce Malaria:

The malarial parasite and a **deranged system.** Quinine will kill the parasite, but has no curative effect upon the general system.

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ROUND THE WORLD.

The Name of Billy McGowan Is Heralded—Another Such Does Not Live.

Manager A. G. Spreen, of the Veriscope company, and the lecturer, Doc. Waddell, are the guests of Billy McGowan and Steve Kennedy, of this city. Waddell and Kennedy are life-long friends and their meeting here is the first in ten long years.

Last night Mr. Kennedy and his family attended the Veriscope entertainment. His two bright little girls made a hit with the big audience by vigorously clapping their hands and musically crying out as Mr. Waddell stepped upon the stage, "Hello, Doc!" Says Waddell, "Really that was the happiest moment of my life. To be remembered and appreciated by little children makes life worth living."

Today the party spent the time in looking over Billy McGowan's collection of theatrical photographs and autographs. Manager Spreen says it is the greatest collection in the world and that Billy McGowan's name is heralded on both sides of the Atlantic. Doc. Waddell added his picture and autograph, making No. 1,125.

The lines he penned to Mr. McGowan are characteristic of his deep feeling for a friend. They are: "All nature bows to Billy McGowan. In all the world there is none other such. The stars of the earth—the pretty fragrant flowers and all my friends—twinkle his poetic name. May he live long, have a good time and die happy."

The above is taken from the St. Mary's Graphic and shows that the irrepressible "Doc. Waddell" is still marching on. Long may his banner wave. Steve Kennedy, of whom mention is made above, is well known in this city.

Enter the Normal university next Tuesday, Nov. 23d.

The Sunday School Convention.

In Sunday school work Ohio is one of the banner states of the Union, and yet only about 40 per cent. of her youth are in the present schools. But the state work is in very skillful hands and the schools are growing rapidly. Mr. A. H. Cross, one of the state workers, comes next Monday from Toledo to assist the convention work of this county and help make our schools more effective. Mr. Cross comes packed with ideas, and no doubt the convention will be filled with life and enthusiasm. Mr. Ricker, chairman of the entertainment committee, has his pockets full of letters announcing the coming of delegates. Rev. Herron last night was drilling a choir on convention songs, old and new, and Mr. S. O. Titus, president of the county association, will be home tomorrow to take charge of the convention. It begins at 9 o'clock Monday morning and will be held in the First Presbyterian church. W. A. Harp, superintendent of normal work, would be glad to have every school in the county which has a normal class to report the class and name of its teacher to him at once.

THEY RIDICULE IT

MANY PEOPLE RIDICULE THE IDEA OF AN ABSOLUTE CURE FOR DYSPEPSIA AND STOMACH TROUBLES.

Ridicule, However, Is Not Argument and Facts Are Stubborn Things.

Stomach troubles are so common and in many cases so obstinate to cure that people are apt to look with suspicion on any remedy claiming to be a radical, permanent cure for dyspepsia and indigestion. Many such pride themselves on their acuteness in never being humbugged, especially on medicines.

This feat of being humbugged may be carried too far; so far, in fact, that many persons suffer for years with weak digestion rather that risk a little time and money in faithfully testing the claims of preparation so reliable and universally used as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Now Suart's Dyspepsia Tablets are vastly different in one important respect from ordinary proprietary medicines for the reason that they are not a secret patent medicine; no secret is made of their ingredients, but analysis shows them to contain the natural digestive ferments, pure aseptic pepsin, the digestive acids, Golden Seal, bismuth, hydrastis and nux. They are not cathartic, neither do they act powerfully on any organ, but they cure indigestion on the common sense plan of digesting the food eaten promptly, thoroughly before it has time to ferment, sour and cause the mischief. This is the only secret of their success.

Cathartic pills never have and never can cure indigestion and stomach troubles because they act entirely upon the bowels, whereas the whole trouble is really in the stomach.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, taken after meals, digest the food. That is all there is to it. Food not digested or half digested is poison, as it creates gas, acidity, headaches, palpitation of the heart, loss of flesh and appetite, and many other troubles which are often called by some other name.

They are sold by druggists everywhere at 50 cents per package. Address Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich., for book on stomach diseases, or ask your druggist for it.

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

Ask your grocer today to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury, as well as the adult. All who try it like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. One-fourth the price of coffee. 15 and 25 cents per package. Sold by all grocers.

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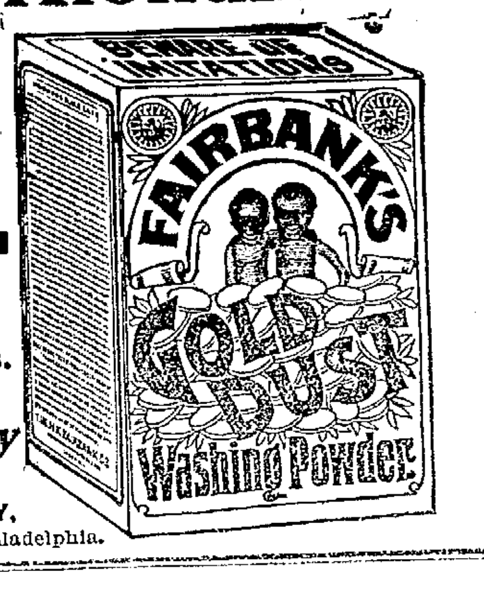

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The first is, for every purchase of $5, we will give a fine Silk Muffler.

With every $10 purchase we will give a fine Silk Umbrella.

Didn't we tell you so? A person does not have to guess, worry his brains to calculate, or devise some other way, to get these favors. They go to all alike.

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The Best Cough Medicine is PISO'S CURE FOR CONSUMPTION. PRICE 25cts

Books. Books.

This is the time of the year when people like to read and appreciate a good book. We have this year, as we always do, made big preparations for winter trade. We offer bargains in every department of our immense line. 10c buys a book worth 25c; 25c for books worth 35c and 40c. Sets Standard writings from $1.25 up. Bibles from 50c to $6.00. Bear in mind our goods are made for book business and no dry goods line or reprints. Albums in great variety from 50c to $6 or $8. Mirrors from 10c to $5. Fancy Plates, Vases and Medalions, all fine goods, no cheap imitations.

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The Hatter,
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LIST OF FIGURES.

Secretary of Interior Submits His Estimates.

HUNDRED AND A HALF MILLIONS.

He Gives Publicity to Some Pension Figures Which Are Interesting and Says Something That Will Encourage Those Who Have Applied For a Pittance to Support Them In Old Age.

Washington, Nov. 19. — Secretary Bliss of the interior department, in his annual report, submits estimates for appropriation by congress for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1899, aggregating $156,532,419.

Discussing pensions, he says 200,000 pension claims are awaiting adjudication, and it is estimated that 40 or 50 per cent of these will be finally admitted. If they are rapidly adjudicated they will swell the pension roll from $5,000,000 to $7,000,000.

When, however, these claims are adjudicated and the first payments made thereon the amount of the pension roll will decrease very rapidly, possibly to $125,000,000 or $130,000,000 the first year.

The total Indian population of the United States, exclusive of the New York Indians and the five civilized tribes, approximates 177,178, located on 177 reservations, which contain approximately 33,404,837 acres. Of these 4,545 have accepted allotments of land which aggregate about 644,147 acres.

Secretary Bliss says while the opening of the Wichita reservation in Oklahoma to white settlement would greatly promote the development of that country, yet in view of the unsettled condition of the questions affecting their rights, until there is further legislation, he does not see how it can be done without causing great injury and distress.

Speedy action in securing proper legislation for the coming twelfth census is urged, lack of sufficient time in the past two or three enumerations is complained of, and the necessity of many reforms in the way of lessening the bulk of the reports and the elimination of several branches of inquiries from the twelfth census, either by postponement or transfer to bureus already in existence, is urged.

Counterfeit Bills Discovered.

Washington, Nov. 19.—The secret service bureau announces the discovery of a new counterfeit $10 silver certificate, and also a counterfeit national bank note. The silver certificate is a photographic production printed on two pieces of paper pasted together. The national bank note is on the First National bank of Joplin, Mo., series 1882. It is also printed on two pieces of paper and the silk fiber in the genuine is imitated by pen and ink marks.

Must Pay Their Debts.

Washington, Nov. 19.—The secretary of the treasury has issued a circular to employes to the effect that clerks receiving a stated salary who neglect to pay their debts contracted for the necessary support of themselves and their families, without presenting satisfactory reasons therefor, will not be retained in office.

Nothing to Arbitrate.

Washington, Nov. 19.—The Peruvian minister, Dr. Eguiguren, called on Secretary Sherman with reference to the McCord claim and proposed to arbitrate the case. The proposition is not acceptable to our government and the negotiations continue.

Restriction of Immigration.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Senator William E. Chandler of New Hampshire says Senator Lodge proposes pushing the measure looking to the restriction of immigration and of demanding its passage without delay. He thinks it will be passed.

Report About Ready.

Washington, Nov. 19.—It was announced that the monetary commission hoped to have their report well advanced toward completion this week. The report is not likely to be made public before Dec. 1.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, Nov. 19.—The statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, $203,108,563; gold reserve, $156,153,625.

Reception to Hobart.

New York, Nov. 19.—The East Orange Republican club tendered a reception to Vice President Garret A. Hobart at the rooms of the club at East Orange, N. J. The vice president took his place at the head of the reception room. He was introduced by Judge Fort. The vice president shook hands with about 500 people. Following the reception there was a banquet.

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QUORUM MAY ELECT.

Not Necessary to Have a Majority From Each House.

Columbus, O., Nov. 19.—The case of Senator Call of Florida (1891) is cited by some Republicans to prove that a majority of a quorum of the joint assembly is sufficient to elect a United States senator.

This is misleading. It was specifically held in that case that it required a majority of all members elected to the general assembly to elect, but that the quorum need not be made up of a majority from each house. However, each house must be represented.

Hanna Says the Fight Is Over.

New York, Nov. 19.—Senator Hanna of Ohio was asked as to the situation in Ohio. He replied, "Why, the fight is over in Ohio." Asked as to the attitude of Governor Bushnell and Senator Foraker in the recent contest, he answered: "I can't say anything about that. It would be very bad taste."

Breach of Promise Suit.

Canton, O., Nov. 19.—John Sells, farmer, has sued Mrs. John McHugh for $5,000 for breach of promise. She married her dead husband's brother two days before the time set for her marriage to Sells, it is alleged.

Suicide of Howard Harper.

Mount Vernon, O., Nov. 19.—Howard Harper, real estate and insurance agent, son of the late Lecky Harper and brother of Mr. Frank Harper, editor of The Banner, suicided by shooting.

Charged With Embezzlement.

Akron, O., Nov. 19. — William B. Sykes, ex-treasurer of Richfield township, is accused of appropriating to his own use $928 of the township's funds.

Very Cheap Living.

Columbus, O., Nov. 19.—Inmates of the Columbus Insane asylum were maintained during the year ended Nov. 5, 1897, at a per capita cost of $130.

Slate Fell on Him.

Shawnee, O., Nov. 19.—Joe Romine, 48, miner, was killed by a fall of slate. He leaves a wife and seven children.

Bimetallists In Session.

Indianapolis, Nov. 19.—The committee appointed by the executive committee of the League of the Ohio Valley Bimetallic clubs to confer regarding the annual convention of the league, which will be held in this city next spring, met here and decided to hold a meeting of the executive committee at Greensburg Dec. 4. The January meeting of the committee will be held in this city.

Heir to a Fortune.

New York, Nov. 19.—Peter Larsen, a contractor and builder of Brooklyn, has received news from Copenhagen that he has a good chance to establish his claim to a share in a fortune of $15,000,000 left at the death of Captain Wythe in 1799. Besides Mr. Larsen there are two other heirs in this country, Mrs. Meta Johnson and William Munk, both of Philadelphia.

Collided With a Streetcar.

St. Louis, Nov. 19.—Young Griffo, the Australian boxer; Denny Holleran, his manager, and three attendants in a hack collided with a street car. Griffo sustained a sprained shoulder, Holleran received a serious cut in the left side of the neck, and Philip O'Toole suffered a concussion of the brain and was removed to the hospital in a serious condition.

Sherry Has Assigned.

Oshkosh, Wis., Nov. 19.—The extensive interests of Henry Sherry, scattered throughout northern Wisconsin, passed out of his possession and control and into the hands of James W. Cameron of Milwaukee, to be conserved and managed for the benefit of Mr. Sherry's creditors.

Very Significant Fact.

Chicago, Nov. 19.—Witnesses to the alleged marriage of John B. Ketcham and Mrs Minnie Walkup in Milwaukee say the bride was much taller than the groom. Mr. Ketcham was much taller than Mrs. Walkup.

Killed by Dynamite.

Des Moines, Nov. 19.—A dynamite explosion here killed Charles Barton and fatally mangled John Walters. Ten sticks of dynamite, which were kept in a tent by a street excavating gang, exploded.

ESSENCE OF NEWS.

Items of Interest Prepared Especially For Busy Readers.

Dr. Evans, the dentist who recently died in Paris, is said to have left an estate of $15,000,000.

General Weyler has arrived in Spain from Cuba.

Henry Clay Johnson was hanged in St. Louis for murdering a newsboy.

William Moody quarreled with his wife and then suicided in Augusta, Ga.

Tom Sweet, negro, was lynched at Bryan, Tex., for murdering another negro.

A cattle thief disarmed three officers who attempted to arrest him, and then escaped, in Emporia, Kan.

Fred R. Ketcham was awarded $21,666.33 against the Northwestern railroad for blacklisting.

George Hart, disguised as a tramp, tried to frighten John Burgess at Williamston, Mich., and was killed.

Salter D. Worden, train wrecker and murderer, condemned to death in California, has been respited to Feb. 11, 1898.

Ben Myers, engineer on the Norfolk and Western railroad, was fatally burned in a wreck near Huntington, W. Va.

A train was wrecked on the Kansas City, Fort Scott and Texas railroad near Willford, Ark., and one person was fatally injured.

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1 lb. 4 x soda wafers	7c
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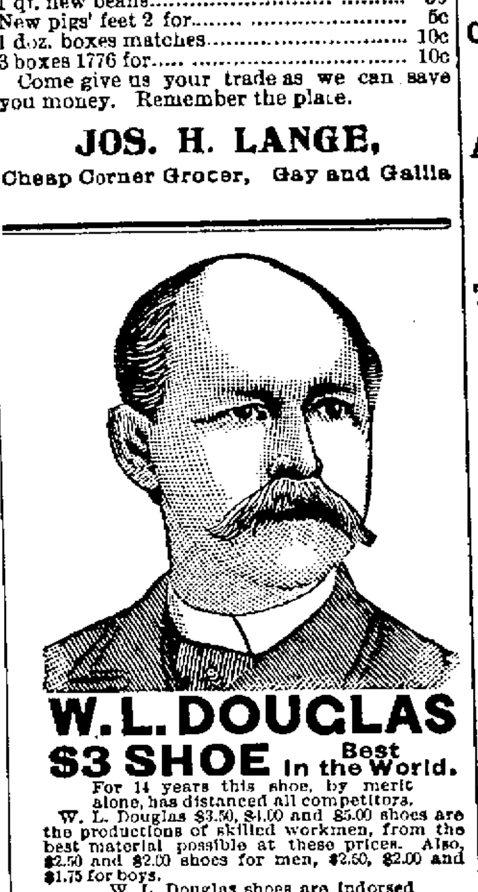

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Ladies' Unshrinkable Wool Vests and Drawers, worth 50c at	35 c each
Ladies' Union Suits, worth 50c our price	35 c
Ladies' Oneita Union Suits, extra heavy at	48 c
50 Styles Ladies' Mitts, grand collection of all the new styles for this Fall at 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c and	35 c pair

Fleece Lined Hosiery.

Ladies' Extra Heavy Fleeced Lined Hosiery, at	10 c pair
Ladies' Extra Heavy Fleeced Lined Hosiery, at 12½c, 15c, 20c, and	25 c pair
Children's Extra Heavy Seamless Fleeced Hosiery, at	10 c pair
Ladies' Cashmere Gloves, Electa Fleeced at	15 c pair
Ladies' Cashmere Gloves, regular 35c quality at	25 c pair
Winner High Bust and Long Waist Corset, made to sell for 75c, our special price	49 c

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1 qt. navy beans	5c
1 gal. best sorghum	30c
2 lb best California apricots	25c
2 lb best California prunes	25c
2 lb best California peaches	25c
3 lb good California prunes	25c
2 large mackerel	5c
1 lb codfish	5c
1 lb wine cakes	10c
1 lb lunch milk crackers	8c
1 lb butter crackers	5c
1 lb oyster crackers	5c

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GOT AWAY

Did Bradley's Bunco Workers But Were Caught Up in Ironton.

Tried to Work a Locket Game But Failed—Thought to Be From Maysville—Flanery Bound Over—A Robber Trio That Didn't Work Portsmouth—Some Police Pickings.

The two colored bunko workers, who held up Mr. Bradley, of Otway, at the O. P. & V. depot Thursday and made $20 out of him, were successful in getting out of the city before the police got "onto" their game. They crossed on the C. & O. and caught a freight train. Woods Christmas, who saw them, thought he recognized them as a couple of Maysville crooks. This morning's Irontonian gives an account of a bunko game two negroes tried to work at Ironton Thursday afternoon. It is more than likely that they are the same fellows who worked Mr. Bradley. They picked out a farmer from Argilite, Ky., as their victim. His name was Kelley Clark. He was going down the river grade to the ferry-boat and met the two sharpers. One picked up a locket off the ground in front of Clark. A discussion followed as to how to open it and one of the colored men offered to bet the other colored man $5 that he could open it. Clark was asked for a loan of five to make the bet. He was promised $2 for the use of the money. Wharfmaster Murdock came up and saw what was going on. He warned Clark not to loan the money and then telephoned the police. The sharpers skipped in a hurry, but were afterwards caught and taken before the mayor. They gave their names as Chas. Brown, of Chattanooga, and R. A. Moore, of Columbus. They played the innocence racket. Later it was learned the same fellows had robbed another farmer of a bottle of whisky and also cheated a fellow out of $1.50 on the ferryboat. They will be held for further investigation.

Marshal Schmitt had a conversation with the Ironton officials over the telephone this afternoon, and from the description of the men arrested he is satisfied they are not those who were here. They are full-blooded negroes, while one of the Bradley bunkoists was a mullato. It has also been learned that the fellows here bought tickets for Maysville.

Marshal Schmitt will go to Waverly Saturday to see if he can find the bicycle stolen from Alex. Glockner and sold by Jas. Flanery. Flanery told a fellow prisoner that he sold the wheel for $4.50. It was worth $75. He kept the wheel in a straw stack at Lucasville for several days. He tried to sell it to several people about there, but failed. He had removed the name plate and did all in his power to disguise the wheel. It has been over three weeks since it was stolen. Flanery had a hearing this afernoon and was bond over to common pleas court. He is pretty sure to draw a term at the O. P.

Arthur Englebrecht, of 229 West Front street, better known as "Skip," was locked up last night by Policeman Adkins, who found him drunk.

Dave Sly, for drunk and disorderly conduct Wednesday evening, was arrested on a warrant Thursday. He had a hearing this morning and was given regular $4.80.

Marshal Schmitt received a letter from Athens today telling of a robbery committed there Tuesday and giving a description of three men who were supposed to have done the job. The letter says they left on the B. & O. S-W. west-bound. A postal card from Wellston tells of a jewelry store being robbed there Tuesday night, eight watches being taken. The marshal is of the opinion that the same fellows did both jobs, and he is also pretty sure they were in Portsmouth Wednesday night. They were closely watched by the police and left on the N. & W. Thursday morning.

Arthur McDermott swore at the Salvation Army barracks Thursday evening. It is said he is in the habit of using profane language in the barracks whenever he attends the meetings. A charge was filed against him today.

Don't borrow your neighbor's umbrella. See our selection of late novelties. Burt, Pride & Hall.

Fearing that these frosty mornings are not a sufficient reminder, we desire to call your attention to the fact that now is the time to order that suit or overcoat. See BLANKEMEYER, THE TAILOR, about it.

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AFTER MANY DAYS

Wm. Brumfield, Who Shot at Portsmouth Policemen Is Captured—In Jail at Evansville, Ind.

About two years ago there was a sensational encounter at the wharf here between local police and Marshal Collier, of Lawrence county, on one side, and a fellow named William Brumfield on the other. The latter was wanted at Ironton for stealing brass. He was working on the steamer Stanley and an attempt was made to capture him when the boat landed here. Brumfield retreated to the hold of the boat and fired several shots at the officers and kept them at bay. In the meantime the captain of the Stanley pulled out from the wharf and carried Brumfield away. He has been at large ever since, but has finally been captured. He is now in jail at Evansville, Ind. Sheriff Ward, of Ironton, is in Columbus, securing requisition papers. In the meantime Brumfield has been indicted for burglary.

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Mrs. Sallie Pepper's Serious Illness.

The many Portsmouth friends of Mrs. Pepper, of Maysville, Ky., nee Miss Sallie Barr, will regret to learn that she is critically ill at her home. Mrs. Pepper has been suffering for several months with a lung trouble that has baffled the skill of specialists. She was much better recently and walked out one day, when she suffered a relapse. She is now in a very serious condition.

The party who may come nearest guessing the number of words on two pages of a newspaper printed in 1800 and on exhibition in the show window at Connolley's shoe store, secures a $75 wheel.

You can always buy new, live geese feathers at Haubert & Geiger's, No. 115 West Front street. Phone 286.

Settled With Pike County.

S. Brown, D. R. Cowan and W. H. Taylor, constituting the Pike county infirmary board, were in the city Thursday for the annual settlement with the Scioto county board. Their claim against Scioto county amounted to $5.72, while ours was a little more than that amount. The settlement was perfectly satisfactory to both boards

Take a look at our men's and boys' overcoats and storm coats, also a large line of mackintoshes. We can show you the largest line in the city, at L. Wise's Sons, Second street. 19-2

Will Live in Ironton.

The Ironton Republican announces that Henry Spanner, of Newman & Spanner, who recently bought the Little Kanawha Lumber Co. mill, will not move to Portsmouth, but will rebuild his residence in Ironton.

Haubert & Geiger, 115 West Front street, have received a lot of fine Milwaukee celery. Phone 286. 19-3t

The Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church will have a sale of mince meat and home-made cake at the home of Mrs. J. F. Davis, 102 East Second street, on next Tuesday and Wednesday, Nov. 23d and 24th.

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THE WEATHER PROPHET.

Ohio. — Partly cloudy tonight; showers in northern portion; Saturday, showers; warmer.

Debating Society Tonight.

The Portsmouth High School Debating society meets tonight at the usual place. The subject under discussion tonight is: "Resolved: That a Knowledge of Literature in General is an Essential Part of a Person's Education."

The affirmative will be handled by Albert Marting, Blanche Stokeley and Lizzie Smith, and the neagtive by Augustus G. Dill, Grace Filler and May Ricker.

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Holiday Prices.

Willis & Sons, the boss photographers, at the corner of Chillicothe and Eighth streets, are offering some flattering inducements in their line. Best aristo platino cabinets, regular price $3.50, holiday price $2.00; best $3.00 cabinet aristo finish, $2.00; $2.00 cabinet, $1.50; $1.50 cabinet, $1.00. Remember these prices will only be given till January, 1, 1898.

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1 qt. Solid oysters	30 c
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1 lb. Ginger snaps	5 c
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2 lb. Rolled oats, new	5 c
1 lb. Barley, new	5 c
1 qt Navy beans, new	5 c
1 qt Marrowfat beans, new	5 c
1 qt. Green peas, new	5 c
1 lb. California prunes	7 c
1 lb California peaches	10 c
1 lb. California apricots	12½c
1 lb. California raisins	8 c
3 lb. New currants	25 c
1 lb. Macaroni	7½c
1 lb. Vermicelli	7½c
1 lb. Broad noodles	7½c
1 lb. Codfish	5 c
1 Medium mackerel	5 c
2 Large mackerel	15 c
1 doz. Dried herring	5 c
2 Salt herring	5 c
1 qt. Jar mustard	10 c
1 qt Table syrup	5 c
1 gal. New sorghum	30 c
1 bottle Horse radish	10 c
1 can Fresh schrimp	12½c
7 bars large Laundry soap	25 c
9 bars Star soap	25 c
10 bars Cabnet soap	25 c
10 bars Henderson laundry soap	25 c
6 bars White Toilet soap and 6 spool silk	25 c
6 bars Ivory soap	25 c
4 lb. Washing soda	5 c
3 lb. Lump starch	10 c
1 bottle Washing blue	5 c
2 boxes Bag blue	5 c
3 boxes 1776 soap powder	10 c
1 doz. Boxes of Matches	10 c
4 package Polar Bear tobacco	15 c
4 package Mail Pouch tobacco	15 c
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